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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
OAKLAND DIVISION

ARMANDO ORELLANA,

Plaintiff,

v.

MICHAEL JEFFREY ESH, *et al.*,

Defendants.

Case No. 4:22-cv-01142-DMR

**STIPULATION REGARDING MEDIATION
DEADLINE; ORDER**

The parties, by and through their counsel, hereby stipulate, pursuant to Civil Local Rules 6-1, 6-2, and 7-12, as follows:

WHEREAS, Plaintiff filed a complaint in this action on February 24, 2022 (ECF No. 1);

WHEREAS, the parties submitted their joint initial case management statement on July 13, 2022, which proposed a mediation deadline of September 2023 (ECF No. 16);

WHEREAS, during the initial case management conference, the Court ordered that mediation be completed no later than October 13, 2023. This deadline was confirmed by the Court's minute order following the initial case management conference (ECF No. 20);

WHEREAS, the Court thereafter issued the Case Management and Pretrial Order, which stated that mediation shall be completed by October 13, 2022 (ECF No. 21);

1 WHEREAS, the parties believe that the October 13, 2022 deadline specified in the Case
2 Management and Pretrial Order was an inadvertent typo, and that the mediation deadline should be
3 October 13, 2023, as reflected in the Court's minute order; and

4 WHEREAS, the parties further believe that, given the early stage of this case, plaintiff's counsel's
5 pending motion to withdraw, and plaintiff's unresponsiveness to plaintiff's counsel's exhaustive efforts
6 to contact him, scheduling a mediation on or before October 13, 2022 would not be a productive use of
7 counsel's or the mediator's time and resources.

8 NOW, THEREFORE, THE PARTIES HEREBY AGREE AND STIPULATE that the mediation
9 deadline should be October 13, 2023.

10 DATED: August 31, 2022

Respectfully submitted,

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13 /s/ Jevechius D. Bernardoni
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16 DATED: August 31, 2022

Respectfully submitted,

17 /s/ Gregory C. Schaffer
18 Benjamin D. Swanson
19 Gregory C. Schaffer
THE SWANSON LAW GROUP

20 **In compliance with Civil Local Rule 5-1(i)(3), the filer of this document attests under penalty of perjury*
21 *that all signatories have concurred in the filing of this document.*
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ORDER

PURSUANT TO STIPULATION, it is so ordered.

Dated: September 1, 2022



THE HONORABLE DONNA M. RYU